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Intimations.

THE INSTITUTION OF ENGINEERS & SHIPBUILDERS, HONGKONG.

NOTICE TO MEMBERS.

THE Third Annual General Meeting of MEMBERS will be held in the Rooms, No. 15, Praya Cantina, HONGKONG, on the 24th January, at 8.45 p.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of Managing Committee and Statement of Accounts to the 31st December, 1893.

ROBERT MITCHELL, Hon. Secretary.

Hongkong, January 22, 1894. 71

VICTORIA HODGE

No. 1026.

A Regular MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in the Freemasons' Hall, Zealand Street, THIS EVENING, at the 22nd Instant, at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely. VISITING BRETHREN are cordially invited.

Hongkong, January 22, 1894. 128

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

THE Annual General Meeting will be held at the Hongkong Hotel, at 4.30 p.m. on WEDNESDAY, the 24th January.

ED. ROBINSON, Hon. Secretary.

Hongkong, January 20, 1894. 147

THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT AND AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Sixth Ordinary MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in this Company will be held at the Company's Offices, Victoria Buildings, on WEDNESDAY, the 24th January, 1894, at 12 o'clock (noon), for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1893.

The REGISTER of SHARES of the Company will be CLOSED from MONDAY, the 15th, to WEDNESDAY, the 24th January, 1894, (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors, A. SHELTON HOOPER, Secretary.

Hongkong, January 8, 1894. 66

THE WEST POINT BUILDING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth Ordinary MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in this Company will be held at the Company's Offices, Victoria Buildings, on WEDNESDAY, the 24th January, 1894, at 12.30 o'clock, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Board of Directors, together with the Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1893.

The REGISTER of SHARES of the Company will be CLOSED from SATURDAY, the 20th, to WEDNESDAY, the 24th January, 1894, (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors, A. SHELTON HOOPER, Secretary.

Hongkong, January 8, 1894. 66

THE KOWLOON LAND AND BUILDING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth Ordinary MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in this Company will be held at the Company's Offices, Victoria Buildings, on MONDAY, the 29th January, 1894, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Board of Directors, together with the Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1893.

The REGISTER of SHARES of the Company will be CLOSED from MONDAY, the 22nd, to MONDAY, the 29th January, 1894, (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors, A. SHELTON HOOPER, Secretary.

Hongkong, January 13, 1894. 95

THE AUSTIN ARMS HOTEL AND BUILDING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-ORDINARY General Meeting of the Company will be held at its REGISTERED OFFICES, 38 and 40, Queen's Road Central, on SATURDAY, the 3rd February next, at Noon, when the Subjoined Resolution, which was passed at the Extraordinary Meeting of the Company held on the 18th January instant, will be submitted for Confirmation as a Special Resolution:

"That the Austin Arms Hotel and Building Company, Limited, be wound-up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Ordinance, 1865 to 1890, and that HARK BUCK, of Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding-up."

By Order, JOHN A. SUPP, Secretary.

Hongkong, January 19, 1894. 140

PRIVATE BOARD AND RESIDENCE for LADIES and GENTLEMEN. Special attention to Ladies' comfort. Accommodation for Table D'Hotel. Central situation.

Mrs. MATHER, 2 and 3 Pedlar's Hill, Hongkong, July 24, 1893. 1287

THE LION FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

WE have this Day been appointed AGENTS for the above Company, and are prepared to accept FIRE RISKS at Current Rates.

DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Hongkong, January 1, 1894. 85

Business Notices.

LANE CRAWFORD & CO.

KEROSENE WARMING STOVES.

KEROSENE COOKING STOVES.

AMERICAN COAL STOVES.

Fenders and Fire Irons.

NEW LAWN MOWING MACHINES.

TENNIS NETS and POLES.

TENNIS BATS and BALLS.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Hongkong, December 29, 1893. 2232

HONGKONG TRADING CO.

JUST RECEIVED.

LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S

BOOTS AND SHOES

(ALL SIZES).

HONGKONG TRADING CO.,

J. P. COTTAM, Managing Partner.

1 to J. D'AGUIAR STREET, Hongkong, January 10, 1894. 149

PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY

WILL dispatch VESSELS to the Undermentioned PORTS on the DATES named:-

FOR STRAITS. DATE. REMARKS.

SHANGHAI, 29th Jan. Freight or Passage.

LONDON, 1st Feb. See Special Advertisement.

SHANGHAI AND JAPAN, 1st Feb. Freight or Passage.

JAPAN, 1st Feb. Freight or Passage.

LONDON and MARSHFIELD, 3rd Feb. Freight or Passage.

LONDON, 12th Feb. Freight or Passage (calling at MARSHFIELD, if sufficient inducement offers).

For further Particulars, apply to P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, H. H. JOSEPH, Superintendent. Hongkong, January 22, 1894. 144

DAWSON'S PERFECTION OLD SCOTCH WHISKY.

ALLISTON & Co.,

SOLE AGENTS,

HONGKONG AND THE FAR EAST.

62, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

Hongkong, November 11, 1893. 1940

HONGKONG HOTEL

Telegraphic Address, "Kronin" - A. B. C. Code.

Telephone, No. 32.

THE MOST COMFORTABLE and BEST-APPOINTED HOTEL in the FAR EAST; situated in the centre of the town, opposite the General Post Office and the Hongkong Club, and adjacent to Pedder's Wharf (the principal landing stage of the Colony).

The Hotel Steam Launch conveys passengers and baggage to and from all Mail Steamers.

The TABLE D'HOT, at separate tables, is supplied with every delicacy.

The BED-ROOMS, with adjoining BATH-ROOMS, are lofty and well ventilated, open on to spacious Verandahs, are lighted by gas and fitted throughout with electric communications.

THE READING, WRITING, and SMOKING ROOMS, LADIES' DRAWING ROOMS, the NEW BAR and BILLIARD ROOMS (Six English and American Tables) are fitted with every convenience.

WINES and SPIRITS of the Best Brands only.

HYDRAULIC ASCENDING-ROOMS of the latest and most approved type convey passengers and baggage from the Entrance Hall to each of the five floors above.

NIGHT PORTERS and WAITERESSES are continually on duty.

T. TUCKER, Manager. Hongkong, October 21, 1893. 1842

THE MOUNT AUSTIN HOTEL.

1,400 FEET ABOVE THE SEA LEVEL. Telephone, No. 36.

THIS magnificent Hotel is situated at the most beautiful part of the Hill District; the Air is deliciously cool and bracing, the Temperature being at least 10 degrees lower than in the valley beneath. Luxuriously furnished, and Cuisine and Wines First-class.

THE TABLE D'HOT DINNER is served in the GRAND DINING ROOM at 7.45 P.M. Arrangements can be made for DINNER PARTIES in Private Rooms. Tables or Seats can be reserved for the TABLE D'HOT, and WINES sent to Order.

For further Particulars, apply to the Undersecretary, or to the SECRETARY at the Company's Office, 38 and 40, Queen's Road Central.

R. ISHERWOOD, Manager, Mount Austin Hotel. Hongkong, October 3, 1893. 1795

W. POWELL & Co.

GREAT CLEARANCE SALE

FOURTEEN DAYS ONLY,

Tuesday, the 23rd January, 1894.

DETAILED BILLS FREE ON APPLICATION.

W. POWELL & Co.

Hongkong, January 20, 1894. 12

NGAI SHANG.

22, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

RENTAL FURNITURE of Every Description.

CHAIRS, COFFERS, TABLES, BASKETS, CHILDREN'S COTS, &c. &c. Letted Furniture, Bed Workmanship.

Also Mattress, Split Mattress, Canton Reed and Sundries of all kinds.

Hongkong, November 17, 1893. 1897

CALDECK MACGREGOR & Co.

Wine and Spirit Merchants, 13, QUEEN'S ROAD.

Hongkong, August 18, 1891. 1819

Intimations.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

No. 28.

IT is hereby notified that the portion of SEYMOUR ROAD above No. 2 TANK is a DANGEROUS CORNER, and will be CLOSED to Traffic until further notice.

By Command, G. T. M. O'BRIEN, Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 20th January, 1894. 180

THE MAN ON INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

WHEREAS the MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company held upon the 2nd Floor of the CHU KONG LAY upon the 4th July, 1893, has now been admitted to have been irregularly convened and the Resolutions passed thereat have been admitted to have been invalid and not binding on the Company and whereas, upon the payment of the Plaintiff's costs, Suit No. 40 of 1893 has been Withdrawn. Notice is hereby given that the Undersigned has resumed their positions as Directors, and Notice is also hereby given that the Meeting of Shareholders held upon the 2nd January, 1894, was also irregularly convened, and that no resolution passed thereat, and confirmed at a subsequent Meeting, is valid or can have any binding effect upon the Shareholders, the Undersigned having protested against such last-mentioned Meeting previous to the same having been held.

A QUANTITY of TABLE NAPERY and Bed Linen.

A VERY FINE ICE CHEST.

BATHROOM and KITCHEN REQUISITES.

A QUANTITY of FINE FLOWERS and Plants.

Catalogues will be issued prior to Sale. On view from Thursday, the 25th Instant.

TERMS of SALE.—As customary.

GEO. P. LAMBERT, Auctioneer.

Hongkong, January 20, 1894. 149

NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Company's S.S. Chongqing having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods will be delivered from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge or re-loading on board after 4 p.m. of the 19th Inst., will be landed at Consignees' risk and expense into Godowns at East Point.

No Fire Insurance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, January 17, 1894. 117

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP PRUSSIAN, FROM BREMEN AND PORTS OF CALL.

THE above-named Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong & Shanghai Steam Navigation Company, Limited, at Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained. Ormuzat, Calcutta will be landed in Hongkong unless notice to the contrary be given before 4 p.m. To-day, the 19th Instant.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods are landed at Godown and all remaining undelivered after the 26th Inst. will be subject to rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godown, where they will be examined on THURSDAY, the 26th Instant, at 3 p.m.

All Claims must reach us before the 27th Instant, or they will not be recognized. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by MELOHERS & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, January 19, 1894. 188

Shipping.

Steamers.

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR NAGASAKI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.

(Via Inland Sea.)

The Steamship Monmouth, Captain GORDON, will be despatched on or about the 26th February.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, January 20, 1894. 161

FOR SINGAPORE, MARSEILLES, HAYRE AND HAMBURG.

(Calling at NAPLES for landing Passengers of sufficient inducement offers.)

(Taking Cargo at through rates to ANTWERP, AMSTERDAM, ROTTERDAM, LISBON, OPORTO, LONDON, LIVERPOOL AND BREMEN.)

The Steamship Irons, Captain R. S. Gordon, will be despatched for the above Ports on or about the 5th February.

This Steamer has superior Accommodation for First and Second Class Passengers and carries a Doctor and a Stewardess.

For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEBSEN & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, January 17, 1894. 116

NOTICES OF FIRMS.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the TRADE MARKS of the CHU KWONG LAY (朱廣蘭) and CHU YAU LAN (朱有蘭) Firms respectively, Manufacturers of TOBACCO, have been duly Registered in this Colony, pursuant to Ordinances 16 of 1875 and 9 of 1880.

CHU KWONG LAY and CHU YAU LAN.

Hongkong, January 5, 1894. 84

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION

OF VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, BED AND TABLE LINEN.

By Order of the

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on FRIDAY, the 26th, AND SATURDAY, the 27th, January, 1894, commencing EACH DAY, at 2.45 p.m., at 'VICTORIA VIEW' at Kowloon, the Residence of Mrs. FALCONER, THE WHOLE OF THE VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, comprising:-

SILK TAPESTRY, DRAWING-ROOM SUITS, ORNAMENTS and KITCHEN REQUISITES, and FANCY TABLES, BRASS and IRON FENDERS, FIGURES, ORNAMENTS, LACT CUTLERY, ETC., EMBROIDERED CARPETS, and RUGS, ETC., ETC.

COTTAGE PIANO, by PLEYEL in good condition; Extension Dining Table, Last Year-Covered Dining-Room Suits, Dry-Water Wagons, HANDSOME SIDEBOARD with BEVELED GLASS, GLASS and CHOCOLATE-WARE, ELECTRIC PLATE, and CUTLERY, ETC.

DOUBLES and STRAIN IRON BENCHES, and MATTRESSES and Bedsteads, and DOORS and SINGLE WARDROBES, PLAIN and with GLASS DOORS, MARBLE-TOP WARDROBES, and Suits, MARBLE-TOP DRESSING TABLES and GLASSES, and SUNDRY Bed-ROOM SUITS.

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